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**Re: Friends of Barbara Boxer
ID # C00279315**

Dear Ms. Palmer:

This letter is in response to your letter of January 11, 2005, requesting additional information about the certain figures on the detailed summary pages for the Committee's 2004 20 Day Post-General Report, and about the itemization of a joint fundraising transfer on that report.

Regarding the summary page figures, please find attached a spreadsheet detailing the amounts disclosed on the detailed summary page from the Committee's July 15th, October 15th, 12-Day Pre-General, and 20-Day Post-General reports. We calculated all the Column B figures in this spreadsheet by adding the Column B total from the prior report to the Column A activity from the next report. The Post-General report Column B figures were calculated by adding only the activity that occurred on or before election day to accurately reflect the election cycle totals as of election day, November 2, 2004.

This review indicates to us that the Column B figures disclosed on the Committee's 20-Day Post-General report are accurate. If you come to a different conclusion after reviewing the attached spreadsheet, please advise us of the discrepancy so that we can amend our reports appropriately.

With respect to the \$0.00 net transfer from Boxer/DSCC '04 reported by the Committee as being